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Hon. Anne Y. Shields  
United States Magistrate Judge  
United States District Court – Eastern District of New York  
100 Federal Plaza  
Central Islip, New York 11722

**VIA ECF**

RE: Lin v. DJ's International Buffet Inc.  
Case No. 17-CV-4994 (JS) (AYS)

**REQUEST FOR ADJOURNMENT OF INITIAL CONFERENCE**

Dear Honorable Judge Shields:

I represent the plaintiff in the above referenced FLSA case presently before you. I am writing to respectfully request an adjournment of the Initial Conference which is scheduled for January 22, 2018 at 11:00 A.M.

There have been no prior requests for adjournments in this matter. All parties agree to the adjournment, and it does not affect any other scheduled dates.

On December 27, 2017, I was contacted by Benjamin B. Xue, Esq., the attorney representing the defendants, to inform me that he will be on trial on January 22, 2018. Mr. Xue indicated that he would like an adjournment to the last week in February. I will be traveling outside of New York from February 5 through February 23, and will be attending hearings on February 27. Since the last week of February only has two days (the 26<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup>), I believe either of these dates will accommodate our schedules, subject to the Court's approval.

Accordingly, and in compliance with your Honor's Individual Practice Rules, I am suggesting the following three dates: February 26, February 28, and March 1, 2018.

Thanking the Court for its attention and courtesies in this matter, I remain

Respectfully yours,

/s/ Ricardo R. Morel .  
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